Final Survey | **IRC/Lofa County CDD Program**

Section I
Survey Identifier Information

Q 1. Location Information:			
COUNTY (USE CODE Q)	DISTRICT(USE CODE Q)	TOWN NAME (USE CODE R IF IN LOFA)	IRC CODE R
Q 2. Date/Time of Interview: A. (DD/MM/YY) |__|__|/|__|__|/|__|__| B. (24 hr clock) |__|__| : |__|__|			
Q 3. Enumerator Name and ID: First Name Last Name		Q 4. Enumerator ID	

Respondent Information

Q 5. Name of Respondent First Name Last Name	Q 6. Survey ID from 2006:
Q 7. Is the respondent the head of household? No 0 Yes 1 *If not:*	Q 8. Relation with current head of household: (Code P)
Q 9. Is this person living in the same household he/she was living in when first interviewed in April 2006? No 0 Yes 1	Q 10. Roster Number (from page 2):
Can you tell us the name of one friend or family member who will know where you are or how to contact you? Q 11. Name of contact person First Name Last Name Q 12 Relationship [**Use Code P**] Q 13. Contact Information County Code Q ____ ____ District Code Q ____ ____ ____ ____ Town Name (Code R) _____	

Q 14 Was your April 2006 household living in this building?	0 1	Q 15 Was your April 2006 household living in this town?	0 1	If no to Q 15, please mark town name and location.	Name: _____	Code R _____
Q 16 Was your 1989 household living in this building?	0 1	Q 17 Was your 1989 household living in this town?	0 1	If no to Q 17, please mark town name and location.	Name: _____	Code R _____

II Household Roster

I want you to think about the household that you were living in in April 2006. This includes everyone who you were living with (for at least 1 month) at that time and **that was eating from the same pot**.

First, list the name of each member of the household in April 2006. You should begin with the household head. For each person, I will ask a series of questions. [Note: Please circle the name of the person you are interviewing.]

	Q 18	Q 19	Q 20	Q 21	Q 22	Q 23	Q 24	Q 25	Q 26	Q 27	Q 28	Q 29
ID	Name?	Relation to the **Head of Household (2006)** **Use Code P**	Sex 0 Fem 1 Male	Religion **Use Code B**	Ethnic Group **Use Code L**	Is […] a member of your household now? 0 No 1 Yes	**If no to** Q 23, **Location Now** **Use Code Q**	Marital Status *(Current)* 1 Marr 2 Div/Sep 3 Widowed 4 Never Mar 5. Living together	Age? Enter **Year of Birth.** If DK See Table in Manual and approximate	Highest Level of Education Achieved *(Current)* **Use Code N**	Which option best describes […]'s employment situation? 1 Full time employment 2 Working in household\ housewife 3 Consistent part-time/ Contract work 4 Some part-time/ Contract work 5 No job but seeking work 6 No job and not seeking work 7 Retired 8 Student 9 5 or younger	Profession If 1,3 or 4 toQ 29: What is […]'s primary employment? If 5: What type of employment did […] seek? If 6: What was […]'s primary employment? [Code E]
01						0 1	_ _ _ _				1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 ___	
02						0 1	_ _ _ _				1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 ___	
03						0 1	_ _ _ _				1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 ___	
04						0 1	_ _ _ _				1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 ___	
05						0 1	_ _ _ _				1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 ___	
06						0 1	_ _ _ _				1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 ___	
07						0 1	_ _ _ _				1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 ___	
08						0 1	_ _ _ _				1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 ___	
09						0 1	_ _ _ _				1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 ___	
10						0 1	_ _ _ _				1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 ___	
11						0 1	_ _ _ _				1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 ___	
12						0 1	_ _ _ _				1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 ___	
13						0 1	_ _ _ _				1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 ___	
14						0 1	_ _ _ _				1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 ___	

[Note: If more than 14 rows required, please use extra roster sheet and mark the household ID on top]

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ID	Name?	**Q 30** *Is [name] in school now?* ***If so**, what type?* 0. *No* 1. Government 2. Church 3.Private 4. Community 5. Quranic 6. Other	**Q 31** *…**If not** in school, **and aged under 20**, why not?* **Use Codes F**	**Q 32** *Is […] able to read and write?* 0 No 1 Yes	**Q 33** *Did [name] suffer from any sickness or injury that prevented him/her from working or going to school in the past 1 month*			
					0 No 1 Yes	What sickness? **Use Codes C**	Did […] consult a health provider or traditional healer in the last month? 0 No 1 Yes	What kind of health provider did [name] see? **Use Codes D**
01				0 1	0 1		0 1	
02				0 1	0 1		0 1	
03				0 1	0 1		0 1	
04				0 1	0 1		0 1	
05				0 1	0 1		0 1	
06				0 1	0 1		0 1	
07				0 1	0 1		0 1	
08				0 1	0 1		0 1	
09				0 1	0 1		0 1	
10				0 1	0 1		0 1	
11				0 1	0 1		0 1	
12				0 1	0 1		0 1	
13				0 1	0 1		0 1	
14				0 1	0 1		0 1	

III Household Assets

Q 34 How many of the following things does your household have?	Now	In 2006
A Separate Rooms	___	___
B Sheep or goats	___	___
C Chickens	___	___
D Guinea Fowl	___	___
E Bamboo Beds	___	___
F Wooden Beds	___	___
G Sponge Mattress	___	___
H Straw mattress	___	___
I Buckets	___	___
J Fitted doors	___	___
K Radio / Tape player	___	___

Q 35 What is your main source of **drinking water**?		
PIPED	PIPED INTO DWELLING	1
	PIPED TO YARD/PLOT	2
	PUBLIC TAP/STANDPIPE	3
Well	BOREHOLE/HANDPUMP	4
	PROTECTED DUG WELL	5
	UNPROTECTED DUG WELL	6
SPRING	PROTECTED SPRING	7
	UNPROTECTED SPRING	8
Other	RAINWATER	9
	TANKER TRUCK	10
	CART WITH SMALL TANK	11
	SURFACE WATER/RIVER/LAKE	12
	BOTTLED WATER	13

Q 36 What is the material of the **roof** of your house?		Now	In 2006
Natural Roofing	THATCH/PALM LEAF	1	1
Rudimentary Roofing	PALM/BAMBOO/MATS	2	2
	WOOD PLANKS	3	3
	TARPAULIN, PLASTIC	4	4
Finished Roofing	ZINC, METAL	5	5
	WOOD	6	6
	CERAMIC TILES	7	7
	CONCRETE, CEMENT	8	8
	ASBESTOS SHEETS, SHINGLES	9	9

Q 37 For the house you live in now, where did you get this material?	NEW FROM UN/NGO	NEW + GOT PRIVATELY	HAD IN 2006	OTHER
	0	1	2	3

Q 38 How many **tins of rice** will / did your household plant…?	This year	In 2006

Q 39 What is this household's most important source of income? [**Use Code M**]	Now	In 2006

Q 40 What is the material of the **walls** of your house?		Now	In 2006
Natural Walls	MUD AND STICKS	1	1
	CANE/PALM/TRUNKS	2	2
	STRAW, THATCH MATS	3	3
Rudimentary Walls	MUD BRICKS	4	4
	PLYWOOD, REUSED WOOD	5	5
	CARDBOARD, PLASTIC	6	6
Finished Walls	CEMENT / STONE BLOCKS	7	7
	BRICKS	8	8
	WOOD PLANKS/SHINGLES	9	9

Q 41 Does the household or a household member own the dwelling?	Owns dwelling	Rents dwelling	Family House (No rent)	Other house (no rent)	Nomad / temporary	Other
	1	2	3	4	5	

	No	Yes	Other
Q 42 Have you been **given** new rights by [chief / paramount chief / land commissioner] to land in the past 6 months?	0	1	
Q 43 Is there land in the town/village that is **not used?**	0	1	
Q 44 If yes: Is there some land that you want to have access to but that you are unable to get permission to use?	0	1	
Q 45 **Yesterday** how many times did this household cook a meal?		____	

Q 46 During the **rainy** season how many **hours** and/or **minutes walk** does it take **you** to go to the nearest …						
	A. Supply of drinking water	B. Food market	C. Public transportation	D. Primary school	E. Secondary school	F. Health clinic or hospital	G. Pit Latrine
	____ Hrs ___ Mins	____ Hrs ___ Mins	____ Hrs ___ Mins	____ Hrs ___ Mins	____ Hrs ___ Mins	____ Hrs ___ Mins	____ Hrs ___ Mins

IV Community Characteristics: Reintegration and Cohesion

	No	Yes	Other Code
Q 47 Were you born in this town?	0	1	
Q 48 If no, when did you first arrive here to live? (mm/yyyy)	___ ___ /___ ___ ___ ___		
Q 49 If no, where were you born? [Use Code Q]	_____		

	A. An internally displaced person?			B. A conflict returnee?			C. An ex-combatant?			D. A conflict victim?			E. Physically disabled?		
Q 50 Do you consider yourself…	No	Yes	Other	No	Yes	Other	No	Yes	Other	No	Yes	Other	No	Yes	Other
	0	1	___	0	1	___	0	1	___	0	1	___	0	1	___

Over the last 6 months…	Never	Once	A few times	Often	If 3, 4 or 5: By whom? [Use Code H, K, or L]
Q 51 Have you been prevented from using social services (accessing health or educational services) by other community members in this village/town?	2	3	4	5	_____ + _____
If 1, 2 or 3, please describe the circumstances?	_____ _____ _____ _____ _____				
Q 52 Have you been prevented from engaging in economic activities (accessing land, using markets etc.) by other people in this village/town?	2	3	4	5	_____
If 1, 2 or 3, please describe the circumstances?	_____ _____ _____ _____ _____				
Q 53 Have you been prevented from participating in community activities by other community members in this village/town?	2	3	4	5	_____
If 1, 2 or 3, please describe the circumstances?	_____ _____ _____ _____ _____				
	No Difficulties	Some Difficulties	Many Difficulties		If 3, 4: by whom? [Use Code H, K, or L]
Q 54 Overall do you feel you have faced difficulties gaining acceptance in this town?	2	3	4		_____ + _____

Over the last 6 months…	Never	Once	A few times	Often	If 3, 4 or 5: who are they? [Use Code H, K, or L]
Q 55 How commonly are people prevented from using social services (accessing health or educational services, participating in associations etc.) by others in this village/town?	2	3	4	5	_____ + _____
If 1, 2 or 3, please describe the circumstances?					_____
Q 56 How commonly are people prevented from engaging in economic activities (accessing land, using markets etc.) by others in this village/town?	2	3	4	5	If 3, 4 or 5: who are they? [Use Code H, K, or L] _____ + _____
If 1, 2 or 3, please describe the circumstances?					_____

Q 57 In the last year, have any new people moved into the village/town?	No	Yes	Q 58 Are there any kinds of **new arrivals** that would **not** be **welcome** here?	No	Yes	Q 59 Who are they? [Use Code K]
	0	1		0	1	_____

I would like to ask you some questions about the people arriving in this town/village.

On to what **land** are **new arrivals** moving?	Mainly to households and land they owned and/or worked on before the war	To land that used to belong to others	To land that was not used before the war	They don't have land to move on to	Other (DK=-99)
Q 60 Returnees	2	3	4	5	_____
Q 61 New Migrants	2	3	4	5	_____

If **new arrivals** have access to land, how are they getting **land**?	Being given by individual owners	Being given by chiefs	Being given by government officials	Taking it on their own	Other (DK=-99)
Q 62 Returnees	2	3	4	5	_____
Q 63 New Migrants	2	3	4	5	_____

I would now like to ask you some questions about your feelings towards different categories of new arrivals.	They should be **tolerated** in this town		They should be **welcomed** and given land		They should be allowed to be **among the leaders** of this community		I would be comfortable having these people as a **very close friend**		I would be comfortable having these people as **close kin by marriage**	
Q 64 Returnees	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1
Q 65 New Migrants	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1
Q 66 Ex Combatants	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1

For each of the following categories of people, do you think that their presence in the town…	Improves the quality of life in this town	Makes no difference to the quality of life in this town	Causes difficulties for the quality of life in this town
Q 67 Returnees	2	3	4
Q 68 New Migrants	2	3	4
Q 69 Ex Combatants	2	3	4

Q 70 I would like you think of your **five** closest friends; people that you spend time with on a day-to-day basis. For each of these can you tell me: are they…

	Name	Gender 0=F, 1=M	Ethnic Group [Code L]	Returnees		New Migrants		Ex Combatants		Live in this town	
1		0 1		0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1
2		0 1		0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1
3		0 1		0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1
4		0 1		0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1
5		0 1		0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1

Q 71 Imagine that you were going to start a business and that you had to choose a business partner. Please think of the 5 people that you would be most likely to start a business with. For each of these can you tell me: are they…

	Name	Gender 0=F, 1=M	Ethnic Group [Code L]	Returnees		New Migrants		Ex Combatants		From this town	
1		0 1		0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1
2		0 1		0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1
3		0 1		0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1
4		0 1		0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1
5		0 1		0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1

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	Q 72 If you suddenly needed a small amount of money, enough to pay for expenses for your household for one week, is there at least one person from the following groups that you could turn to who would be *willing* to provide this money? [PROMPT]			Q 73 If you suddenly had to go away for a day or two, could you think of at least one person from the following groups that you could turn to to take care of your children? [PROMPT]		
	No	Yes	Other Code	No	Yes	Other Code
Members of my extended family/relatives	0	1		0	1	____
People in this town	0	1		0	1	____
Members of my church/mosque/religious institution	0	1		0	1	____
Community leaders	0	1		0	1	____
Ex Combatants	0	1		0	1	____
New Migrants	0	1		0	1	____
Returnees	0	1		0	1	____
Money lender / middleman (*toke*)	0	1				
Bank	0	1				
Credit cooperative (microfinance)	0	1				
Other: _____	0	1		0	1	____

How strongly do you agree or disagree with the following statements?	Agree strongly	Agree	Disagree	Disagree strongly	Other code
Q 74 "People in this town are willing to make much effort or cooperate to improve things for the community."	2	3	4	5	
Q 75 "People in the surrounding area (including neighboring towns) are willing to make much effort or cooperate to improve things for the area."	2	3	4	5	

	0 hours	1-2 hours	2-4 hours	4-6 hours	More than 6 hours
Q 76 How many hours per week would you be willing to spend doing work on a community project [like road brushing or building a latrine] that would benefit people in this town?	2	3	4	5	7
Q 77 How many hours per week would most people in this town be willing to spend doing work on a community project [like road brushing or building a latrine] that would benefit others in this town?	2	3	4	5	7

I would like you think of the following towns or villages. [*Enumerator should write down the village names associated with the respondent's village from the IRC code. Put extras on back of page.*]

	Name and CODE of Town/Village		Q 78 If your town suffered a big problem, such as a crop failure or flood, how likely do you think it is that people from each of those towns/villages would help you out?				Q 79 If you suddenly needed a small amount of money, enough to pay for expenses for your household for one week, is there at least one person from the following towns that you could turn to who would be *willing* to provide this money?			Q 80 Do you believe that people from each of these towns are willing to cooperate to improve things for the area?		
	Name	CODE	Very Likely	Likely	Unlikely	Very Unlikely	No	Yes	Other	No	Yes	Other
1			2	3	4	5	0	1	___	0	1	___
2			2	3	4	5	0	1	___	0	1	___
3			2	3	4	5	0	1	___	0	1	___
4			2	3	4	5	0	1	___	0	1	___
5			2	3	4	5	0	1	___	0	1	___
6			2	3	4	5	0	1	___	0	1	___
7			2	3	4	5	0	1	___	0	1	___

V Community Empowerment: Behavior and Attitudes

Now I would like to ask you some questions about life in this town. Often decisions need to be made that affect the lives of people in the town. I want to ask you about how you think such decisions are made in this community.
Imagine two families are in dispute over who owns a piece of land in the town. A decision needs to be made about who owns the land.

	Community members	Quarter chief	Town Chief	Clan/Para mount Chief	Elders / Relig's Leaders	Youth Group	Women's Group	Zoe	Land Commis'r	Dist. Commiss'r /Mayor/ Super't	Reps in House / Senate	LNP	UN MIL	NGOs	
Q 81 For each of the following individuals/groups, can they **block** a decision even if all others are in agreement? *Circle "1" for all that apply*	0 1	0 1	0 1	0 1	0 1	0 1	0 1	0 1	0 1	0 1	0 1	0 1	0 1	0 1	
Q 82 Which group usually plays the biggest role in resolving the dispute? *Circle the number for only one group.*	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	
Q 83 Which group usually plays the second biggest role in resolving the dispute?	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	
Q 84 Which *should* play the biggest role?	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	
Q 85 Which *should* play the second biggest role?	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	

Imagine that the community receives funds to invest in improving the infrastructure in the town. A decision needs to be made about how the funds should be spent.

	Community members	Quarter chief	Town Chief	Clan/Para mount Chief	Elders / Relig's Leaders	Youth Group	Women's Group	Zoe	Dist. Develp't Officer	Dist. Commiss'r /Mayor/ Super't	Reps in House or Senate	LNP	UN MIL	NGOs	
Q 86 For each of the following individuals/groups, can they **block** a decision even if all others are in agreement? *Circle "1" for all that apply*	0 1	0 1	0 1	0 1	0 1	0 1	0 1	0 1	0 1	0 1	0 1	0 1	0 1	0 1	
Q 87 Which group usually plays the biggest role in making such a decision? *Circle the number for only one group.*	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	
Q 88 Which group usually plays the second biggest role in resolving the dispute?	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	
Q 89 Which *should* play the biggest role?	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	
Q 90 Which *should* play the second biggest role?	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	

	No	Yes	Other Code
Q 91 **In the past year**, are you aware of any open town/village meetings that have been held?	0	1	
Q 92 How many have been held in the **past six months?**	_____		

Q 93 Sometimes some people benefit more than other people from the decisions made in town meetings. Generally, do you think the following people benefit more or less relative to other people from the decisions made in town meetings? [PROMPT]

	Benefit much more	Benefit more	The same	Benefit less	Benefit much less	Other Code		Who tends to benefit most?	Who tends to benefit least?
Those most affected by the conflict	2	3	4	5	6			A	A
The relatively poor	2	3	4	5	6			B	B
Older people	2	3	4	5	6			C	C
Friends and family of the town leader	2	3	4	5	6			D	D
People well connected with local government	2	3	4	5	6			E	E
People well connected to the national government	2	3	4	5	6			F	F
Ex Combatants	2	3	4	5	6			G	G

Q 94 I am now going to say something about this town. Do you agree or disagree?	Agree Strongly	Agree	Disagree	Disagree Strongly	Other Code
Q 95 "This town needs strong leadership from government, because people here are not very able to agree on what to do or able to organize to do things."	2	3	4	5	
Q 96 "An ordinary person in this town can influence decisions about community affairs."	2	3	4	5	
Q 97 "Women should be directly involved in decision-making about community affairs."	2	3	4	5	
Q 98 When decisions are made on things that affect the town, do you feel that you are influential in determining the outcome?	Never Influential	Sometimes Influential	Usually Influential	Always Influential	Other Code
	2	3	4	5	
Q 99 Overall, how satisfied are you with the way that decisions that affect all community members are made in your town?	Very satisfied	Fairly satisfied	Not very satisfied	Not satisfied at all	Other Code
	2	3	4	5	

Q 100 [**Voice**] If you had concerns about how things were going in your town/village, there are some things that you might be able to do to make things better. I will read out a list of actions that you could take to try to change the situation in your town/village. For each one, I would like you to tell me whether or not you think these things would help. [PROMPT]

	Would make things worse	No difference	This might help a little	This would help a lot		Most Effective	Second Most Effective	Other Code
Complain to a village/town chief	2	3	4	5		A	A	
Complain to a district government official	2	3	4	5		B	B	
Complain to a national government official	2	3	4	5		C	C	
Complain to a religious leader	2	3	4	5		D	D	
Complain to a traditional leader or elders	2	3	4	5		E	E	
Organize with other community members to take action	2	3	4	5		F	F	
Appeal to local NGOs for assistance	2	3	4	5		G	G	
Express my opinion by voting in the general elections	2	3	4	5		H	H	
Take part in peaceful protests	2	3	4	5		I	I	
Appeal to the international community for assistance	2	3	4	5		J	J	
Resort to violence	2	3	4	5		K	K	
[IRC Treatment only]: Bring the issue to the CDC	2	3	4	5		L	L	

Q 101 If your town was given funding for some development project, what do you think the community should spend it on first? What is the second most important priority? And the third? [PROMPT WITH LIST]			Schools			Clinics			Town Hall, palaver hut/ Community Hall			Road Repair / Maintenance			Well / Handpump			Latrines			Agricultural Inputs			Other _____		
			1	2	3	1	2	3	1	2	3	1	2	3	1	2	3	1	2	3	1	2	3	1	2	3

	Much less	Less	Equally	More	Much More
Q 102 Compared to neighboring towns, how trustworthy are community leaders in this town?	2	3	4	5	6
Q 103 Compared to other towns in Lofa County, how trustworthy are community leaders in this town?	2	3	4	5	6
Q 104 If a community leader in this town got access to some funds to be used for the community, what share do you think he/she WOULD keep for his/her private use?	None	A little	Some	Most	Other Code
	2	3	4	5	

Let's talk for a moment about the kind of community you would like to live in. Which of the following statements is closest to your view?

← Argument A Some people say…	Strongly with A	Agree with A	D K	Neither	Agree with B	Strongly with B	Argument B → Some people say…
Q 105 **A.** As members of the town, we should be more active in questioning the actions of our leaders.	2	3	-9	-8	5	6	**B.** As members of the town, we should show more respect for authority
Q 106 **A.** Once in a position of authority, leaders are obliged to help their own family or ethnic group.	2	3	-9	-8	5	6	**B.** Since leaders represent everyone, they should not favor their own family or ethnic group.
Q 107 **A.** All people should be permitted to take part in important decisions, even if they don't understand the issues or are new to the community.	2	3	-9	-8	5	6	**B.** Only those who understand the issues very well should be allowed to take part in important decisions.
Q 108 **A.** Women should have equal rights and receive the same treatment as men do.	2	3	-9	-8	5	6	**B.** Women have always been subject to traditional laws and customs and should remain so.
Q 109 **A.** Since elections sometimes produce bad results, we should continue with traditional methods for choosing leaders.	2	3	-9	-8	5	6	**B.** We should choose our community leaders through regular and open elections.
Q 110 **A.** It is the responsibility of the chief and the government to improve the condition of the schools, roads, and other public services that are supposed to benefit **this town**, so that people here have the time to look after their own affairs.	2	3	-9	-8	5	6	**B.** It is the responsibility of people in **this town** to work to improve the condition of their schools, roads, and other public services.
Q 111 **A**. People in neighboring towns are responsible for improving the condition of their schools, roads, and other public services.	2	3	-9	-8	5	6	**B.** It is **our responsibility** to help people **in neighboring towns** to improve the condition of their schools, roads, and other public services.

VI Community Cohesion and Collective Action

Now I would like to ask you some questions about the **public facilities** available in this town. Items like wells, schools, latrines and so on.	How many were there in April 2006? [Enter Number]	How many are there now?	How many were constructed with the support of government or NGOs?	How many were constructed by the community on its own?
Q 112 Wells				
Q 113 Schools [classrooms]				
Q 114 Latrines				
Q 115 Health Clinics				
Q 116 Community Facilities (Palaver Huts, Guest Houses)				

Q 117 **In the past 6 months, have you done any of the following?**	No	Yes	Other
A Attended a town meeting?	0	1	
B Made a speech or suggestion at the last meeting you attended?	0	1	
C Met with the town, clan, or paramount chief to raise an issue?	0	1	
D Notified police or the courts about a local problem?	0	1	
E Met with or contacted a government official to raise an issue?	0	1	

Q 118 Are you a member of a **club** (interest-bearing) for credit or saving?	No	Yes	Other
A How many clubs are you a member of? ["0" for none]	____		___
For the group for which you have the most shares:			
B How many members does the group have?	____		
C Has the group accepted new members in the past three months?	0	1	
D Approximately how many of these members are men?	____		
E How many members are there from an ethnic group different than yours?	____		
F Does this group have any new migrants or ex-combatants as members?	0	1	
G How many shares (hands) do you have in the group?	____		
H How much does each share (hands) cost?	____		
I Does the group provide loans to non-members?	0	1	
J Have you acted as a guarantor for a non-member?	0	1	
K Did any borrowers **default** at the end of the last term (last December) for which the guarantor lost his or her share as a result of the default?	0	1	

Q 119 Do you plan to work with a party in the next election campaign?	0	1	
Q 120 Do you plan to vote in the next Presidential elections?	0	1	

Q 121 In the past **6 months**, have members of the town approached anyone such as government officials or organizations asking them to **initiate** an action for the community:	What project? (Use Code G)	Who did they approach? (Code H)	Did it lead to a change? No	Yes	Other
			0	1	

Q 122 Over the past 6 months, have there been any community initiatives (without the support of the IRC) to: [PROMPT]	No	Yes	Other		Q 123 Who **initiated** this? [Use Code H]	Q 124 Did your HH contribute **time or labor**?		
a. Rebuild a primary school or health clinic?	0	1		If yes	____	0	1	
b. Organize roadbrushing?	0	1		If yes	____	0	1	
c. Re-grade a local road?	0	1		If yes	____	0	1	
d. Dig or repair a well or hand-pipe for water?	0	1		If yes	____	0	1	
e. Organize patrols to provide security to the community?	0	1		If yes	____	0	1	
f. Increase agricultural productivity	0	1		If yes	____	0	1	
g. Rebuild a church or mosque?	0	1		If yes	____	0	1	

Q 125 Are any of the following types of **association** active in your town? [PROMPT]	Active?		# of Members	Are you a **Member**?		
	No	Yes		No	Yes	Other
A Susu [Non-Interest-bearing]	0	1	____	0	1	
B Koo	0	1	____	0	1	
C A women's action group	0	1	____	0	1	
D A farmers group or cooperative?	0	1	____	0	1	
E A water committee?	0	1	____	0	1	
F A religious association?	0	1	____	0	1	
G School committee / club / PTA?	0	1	____	0	1	
H Sports, drama, music or dance club?	0	1	____	0	1	
I Other? _____	0	1	____	0	1	

Q 126 Sometimes it is hard for communities to work together because of *differences that exist between people living in the same town.* To what extent do differences such as the following tend to **divide** people in your town? [PROMPT]				Q 127 In the past 6 months, have these differences escalated into **violence**?		
Differences…	Not at all	Somewhat	Very Much	No	Rarely	Often
A…between rich and poor	1	2	3	1	2	3
B…between men and women	1	2	3	1	2	3
C…between younger and older generations	1	2	3	1	2	3
D…between new migrants and other community members	1	2	3	1	2	3
E…in religious beliefs	1	2	3	1	2	3
F…in ethnic group	1	2	3	1	2	3
G…in education	1	2	3	1	2	3
H Other differences: _____	1	2	3	1	2	3

Q 128 If a grant of $10,000 dollars (US) were made available to support development in this town, **how much should do you think should be managed** by a committee of community members, how much by the chief, and how much should be divided up and given directly to individual community members to use as they see fit?

_____ thousand to committee of community members
_____ thousand to chief
_____ thousand to community members
10 thousand [Answers should add up to $10,000]

VII Empowerment and Trust

Q 129 [READ SCRIPT FROM MANUAL HERE]				
[Read stories then ask] **How free is** [name] to say what she thinks in the town?	Not Free at all	A Little Free	Very free	Totally Free
A "[Flomo / Mohammed / Esther / Mariama] attends the meetings and offers his/her thoughts and opinions **without fear of retribution**, even if he/she knows other people won't like what s/he has to say."	1	2	3	4
B "[Harris / Ibrahim / Mary / Fanta] **almost never speaks** his/ her mind at meetings even if he/she has something to say because s/he **fears** that s/he will have **trouble** if s/he disagrees with others."	1	2	3	4
C "[John / Sekou / Sarah / Hawa] attends meetings but normally does not like to speak because s/he fears how others will respond to her/him. However s/he does speak **whenever a matter is of great importance** for him/her"	1	2	3	4
D Overall, how free are *you* to say what you think in this town?	1	2	3	4
E How free are **women** to say what they think in this town?	1	2	3	4
F How free are **young** people to say what they think in this town?	1	2	3	4

Q 130 During the last 6 months…	No	Yes	Who did you report it to? Use Code H	Did this have an effect?
A has anyone stolen any livestock/chickens from you?	0	1		0 1
B has anyone stolen any household items from you?	0	1		0 1
C have you been involved in any physical fighting?	0	1		0 1
D have people living near you in your town used weapons for fighting?	0	1		0 1
E …have there been problems of violence in your household?	0	1		0 1

READ SCRIPT HERE	Not willing at all	A Little Willing	Very Willing	Totally Willing
Q 131 **How willing** is [name] to contribute to community projects?				
A "[Flomo / Mohammed / Esther / Mariama] **gets involved** in organizing people and arranging meetings. S/he often spends a lot of his/her time and money on things that are good for the town even if s/he does not benefit directly from them."	1	2	3	4
B "[Harris / Ibrahim / Mary / Fanta] tends to keep to him/herself and not get involved too much in town projects **unless s/he is forced** to."	1	2	3	4
C "[John / Sekou / Sarah / Hawa] attends meetings and says what s/he thinks is important. **If asked**, s/he often provides work or money to help community initiatives."	1	2	3	4
D How willing are *you* to participate in community initiatives?	1	2	3	4
Overall, how willing are the following to participate?				
E People from this town	1	2	3	4
F People from your ethnic group in this town	1	2	3	4
G People from other ethnic groups in this town	1	2	3	4
H Ex-combatants in this town	1	2	3	4
I Town, clan, and paramount chiefs	1	2	3	4
J District and county superintendents	1	2	3	4
K Government officials in Monrovia	1	2	3	4

Q 132 In some **clubs** a person who is not a member of the club can sometimes get credit, but one member of the club has to be a **guarantor** for that person. If the person does not pay back then this is taken out of the profits of the guarantor. If you were a member of a club like this how likely would you be to act as a guarantor for the following?	Very unlikely	Some-what likely	Very likely	Certainly
A Your husband / wife	1	2	3	4
B People from this town	1	2	3	4
C People from your ethnic group in this town	1	2	3	4
D People from other ethnic groups in this town	1	2	3	4
E Ex-combatants in this town	1	2	3	4
F People from neighboring towns	1	2	3	4
G Town, clan, and paramount chiefs	1	2	3	4
H District and county superintendents	1	2	3	4
I Government officials in Monrovia	1	2	3	4

VIII Perceptions of CDR Project [To be administered only in CONTROL villages in which the IRC did NOT implement CDR projects]

In some towns/villages in Voinjama and Zorzor, an organization called the International Rescue Committee (IRC) implemented aid projects, called "Community Driven Reconstruction (CDR)" projects.	No	Yes	Other	
Q 133 Have you heard of the IRC-CDR project? If no → SKIP to Q 166	0	1		
Q 134 Have you talked to people whose towns took part in the process?	0	1		
Q 135 Can you name any towns that took part in this process? [Insert Code R in last column]	Town 1			
	Town 2			
	Town 3			
	Answer involves projects only	Answer involves committees/elections only	Answer involves both committees/elections and projects	Other
Q 136 What do you know about the IRC CDR program that took place in these towns?	1	2	3	4
	A lot	A little	No benefits	Negative effects
Q 137 Do you think that people in THIS town have benefited economically from the IRC-CDR projects taking place in other towns, for example through increased trading or new schools and clinics?	1	2	3	4
Q 138 Do you think that people in THIS town have benefited in other ways from the IRC-CDR projects taking place in other towns, for example by learning from people there about elections and community committees?	1	2	3	4

	Generally helpful for the town	Neither helpful nor harmful	Harmful	Other Code
Q 139 In general, which of the following statements would you say best describes the impact of IRC-CDR projects in other towns on this town?	0	1	2	
	Does not know	By lottery	Decided by NGO / IRC	Other (Note)
Q 140 Do you know how communities were selected to take part in the IRC CDR process? How were they selected?	0	1	2	_____
	No	Yes	Other Code	
Q 141 If answer involves "lottery": Do you believe that this process was fair?	0	1		

VIII Perceptions of CDR Project [To be administered only in TREATMENT villages in which the IRC implemented CDR projects]

	No	Yes	Other Code
Q 142 Have you heard of the International Rescue Committee (IRC) Community Driven Reconstruction Project? If no → SKIP to Q 166	0	1	

	Answer involves projects only	Answer involves committees/elections only	Answer involves both committees/elections and projects	Other
Q 143 What do you know about the IRC CDR program that took place in these towns?	0	1	2	3

	No	Yes	Other Code
Q 144 Are you aware of any town meetings that were held for the IRC/CDR Project?	0	1	
Q 145 If Yes to Q 144, how many meetings did you attend?			
Q 146 Did you vote in the election to form the community development committee?	0	1	
Q 147 Are you a member of a community development committee?	0	1	
Q 148 Have you personally provided any material support or time to the implementation of the project?	0	1	
Q 149 If you have spent time contributing to this project, approximately how many hours have you contributed?			
Q 150 If you provided support in other ways, can you describe the type and the extent of that support?			
Q 151 Have you received any money for work done on behalf of the IRC/CDR project?	0	1	

During the IRC/CDR process there was a set of projects that were proposed in this town.	Q 152 Please list all the projects that you can remember that were discussed in this town? [UNPROMPTED] & [MARK ALL THAT APPLY]	Q 153 Of these projects, can you tell us which one you thought deserved the most support? [PROMPT] & [MARK ONE]	Q 154 Which projects were accepted?
Improve Town Buildings (Palaver Hut, Guest House)	A	A	A
Improve Access to Health (Health Clinics)	B	B	B
Improve Access to Education (School Classrooms)	C	C	C
Improve Roads and Bridges	D	D	D
Improve Access to Water	E	E	E
Improve Sanitation (Latrines)	F	F	F
Support for Agriculture	G	G	G
Support for Traders	H	H	H
Other (please specify):	_____	_____	_____
Other Code:			

Q 155 How do you feel about the choices of projects that were made in this community? Tell me why you feel this way.	_____ _____
Q 156 How many minutes does it take you to walk to the place where the IRC project was constructed?	_____

Q 157 Do you know approximately how much money was available for projects in this town as part of the IRC-CDR process?	No	Yes	Other	Amount
	0	1	__	$_____ (Enter full US dollar amount)

I'd like you to think about your experience with the community development committee and compare it to your sense of how community affairs are managed by the chief. Would you say that…	Better with the CDC	About the same with the CDC and the Chief	Better with the Chief	Other Code
Q 158 Your interests and concerns are better reflected in the decisions made by the community development committee, the chief, or that things are about the same?	1	2	3	
Q 159 Projects for the benefit of the community are better implemented by the community development committee, the chief, or that things are about the same?	1	2	3	
Q 160 Money was more likely to go missing in projects implemented by the community development committee, the chief, or that things are about the same?	1	2	3	
Q 161 Projects were more likely to benefit the family and friends of community leaders when implemented by the community development committee, the chief, or that things are about the same?	1	2	3	
Q 162 You prefer to have community affairs governed by a community development committee, the chief, or that things are about the same either way?	1	2	3	

Q 163 Different people have different concerns about the implementation of projects like this. I will read a list of **possible concerns** and then ask you to tell me to what extent you think these were important concerns for you for the IRC/CDR Project. [PROMPT]	A Problem for IRC/CDR Project?			Which is the biggest problem? [MARK ONE]	Which is the 2nd biggest problem? [MARK ONE]
	Not a Problem	A Minor Problem	A major Problem		
The whole process was too slow	1	2	3	A	A
The staff that were working in this town were not competent	1	2	3	B	B
The projects selected were not the most important ones for the town	1	2	3	C	C
The projects selected did not benefit many people in the town	1	2	3	E	E
The projects benefited ex- combatants too much	1	2	3	F	F
The money was not spent well	1	2	3	G	G
Not everyone had an equal say in how the projects were selected	1	2	3	H	H
Disagreements in the town were not well handled	1	2	3	I	I
The process was too much of a burden	1	2	3	J	J
There was not adequate information about the process	1	2	3	K	K
Money went missing because of corruption	1	2	3	L	L
The allocation of money across towns was not fair	1	2	3	M	M
The community development committee was controlled by the chief	1	2	3	N	N
The community development committee did not reflect my concerns	1	2	3	O	O
				NONE	NONE

	Generally helpful for the town	Neither helpful nor harmful	Harmful	Other Code
Q 164 In general, which of the following statements would you say best characterizes the work of the IRC/CDR project in this town?	0	1	2	___
Q 165 Would you like to share with us any general thoughts you have on how the IRC / CDR project worked in this town?	_____			

IX Isolation

Q 166 Can you tell me the name of…	No	Yes		
A… the **President** of Liberia?	0	1		Name:
B …the **Speaker** of Liberia's House of Representatives?	0	1		Name:
C… any person elected to represent this area in the **House of representatives** or the **Senate**?	0	1		Name:
D… the Lofa County (interim) **superintendent**?	0	1		Name:
E … your **District Commissioner**?	0	1		Name:
F… the chairman of your **District Development Committee**?	0	1		Name:

Q 167 In the last month have you or anyone in your household…		
	No	Yes
A Visited or been visited by someone in a neighboring town that is at least a half hour walk away?	0	1
B Visited or been visited by someone from the district capital?	0	1
C Visited or been visited by someone from Monrovia?	0	1
D Listened to UNMIL radio?	0	1
E Read a national newspaper?	0	1

X Conclusion

We are now finished the interview. Thank you for your time. If you want to contact us, or if you have concerns, the County Superintendent and District Commissioners have our contact information. We hope that this survey will help NGOs and the government better provide services to communities in Lofa County.

Enumerator Impressions

Q 168 Time End Interview	|__|__| : |__|__| H H M M

Q 169 Did the interview end before completion?	No 0	Yes 1	*If yes*: Why?

Q 170 **Language** of Interview	Mostly Liberian English 0	Mostly Lorma 1	Mostly Mandingo 2	Other [Code L] _____
Q 171 How would you judge the respondents' ability to understand the **language** used in the survey?	Displayed no problems 0	Displayed moderate difficulty 1	Serious problems 2	
Q 172 Did you feel that the respondents were willing to share information?	Very willing to share 0	Neither willing nor reluctant 1	Reluctant to share 2	
Q 173 Did you feel that the respondents were able to concentrate throughout the interview?	Concentrated throughout 0	Lost concentration during interview 1	Distracted throughout 2	

Supervisor Review

Q 174 Is the survey ID marked on all pages?	No 0	Yes 1	
Q 175 Clarity of Writing	Many Problems 0	Some Problems 1	Acceptable 2
Q 176 Is tracking information clear and complete?	No 0	Yes 1	
Q 177 Frequency of Errors / Inconsistencies?	Many 0	Some 1	None 2

Team Leader Name and Signature

Name:

Signature: